IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

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) Case No. 3:25-cv-1233
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DECLARATION OF JAVIER CORTES ALVAREZ

- I, Javier Cortes Alvarez, declare, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, as follows:
- I am a Revenue Agent with the United States Internal Revenue Service, employed in Guaynabo, Puerto Rico.
- 2. I have been employed by the Internal Revenue Service since June 18, 2001.
- 3. I am over the age of 18.
- 4. I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth in this declaration, and if called upon to testify to such matters, I could do so competently.
- 5. As part of my duties as a Revenue Agent, the Department of Justice designated me to effectuate service of process in this case.

6. On July 3, 2025, at approximately 10:20 a.m. local time, I arrived at the last known address of Mr. Justin T. Ederle. I knocked on the door, but no one answered the door. I left a copy of the following documents taped to the door: Order Enforcing IRS administrative summons (ECF No. 8) and IRS administrative summons (ECF No. 1-2).

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on July 3, 2025, in Guaynabo, Puerto Rico

> **Javier Cortes** Alvarez

Digitally signed by Javier Cortes Alvarez Date: 2025.07.07 08:51:44

Javier Cortes Alvarez Revenue Agent Internal Revenue Service